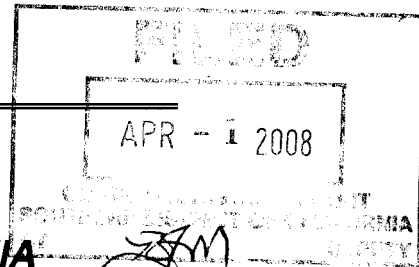


AO 455 (Rev. 5/85) Waiver of Indictment

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WAIVER OF INDICTMENT

v.

MARTIN CHAPA-CONTRERAS (4)

CASE NUMBER: 08cr976-WQH

I, MARTIN CHAPA-CONTRERAS, the above-named defendant, who is accused of committing the following offenses:

Transportation of Illegal Aliens and Aiding and Abetting, in violation of Title 8, United States Code, Section 1324(a)(1)(A)(ii) and (v)(II) (Felony).

being advised of the nature of the charges, the proposed information, and of my rights, hereby waive in open court on April 1, 2008 prosecution by indictment and consent that the proceeding may be by information rather than by indictment.

MARTIN CHAPA CONTRERAS
Defendant

Donald D. Kinn
Defense Counsel

Before [Signature]
Judicial Officer